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While Applicant agrees with and does not seek to traverse the Examiner's determination of patentable distinctness between Species A and B, Applicant urges the Examiner to carefully reconsider the patentable distinctness determination made, as set forth in MPEP 806.04(h) and 808.01(a).

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this paper. The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees due in connection with this paper or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-2179.

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